

# ***FACT SHEET:***

## **MI MEDICAL MARIHUANA PATIENT PROTECTION ACT**

**SB 660 reflects the safe, secure implementation of “medical marihuana.”**

**SB 660 provides the public secure access to what they overwhelmingly approved:**

**“Medical” marihuana that is rigorously tested and therefore  
*safe for the immuno-suppressed patients that choose to use it***

**1. Stand Alone**

*By law, this bill does not—and cannot—impact the “publicly-passed initiative” currently in place; this bill simply provides an additional product choice for patients*

**2. Prospective**

*A Federal change to a “Schedule II” drug is required to trigger this bill  
(Fact: everything in place today is viewed as “illegal” by the Feds)*

**3. Secure**

*In MI, facilities would have to comply with strict requirements AND “spot inspections” by law enforcement to qualify*

**4. Tested**

*In MI, strict testing requirements for consistent potency and contaminants (mold spores, pesticides, pet hair, metals from soil, etc.) would be mandatory*

**5. Pharmacies**

*In MI, this choice of “medical” marihuana would be distributed through pharmacies*

**6. Taxed**

*In MI, this “product” would be taxed at the manufacturer level*

**7. Competitive**

*In MI, any company that meets the requirements set forth in SB 660 would be licensed by the Department*

**8. LEIN**

*The issuance of (only) the card for this product would be listed for Law Enforcement*

**9. MAPS**

*The issuance of a card for this product would be entered in MAPS—accessible to physicians only!—to facilitate determination of potentially dangerous drug interactions*

**10. Choice**

*SB 660 does NOT in any way limit the number—or nature—of plant “strains” available to patients!*